Washington Examiner: Owned by Billionaire Philip Anschutz, Son of Oil Wildcatter & Venture Capitalist

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The Washington Examiner, a tabloid newspaper online, has become a Trump sycophant news outlet in recent years. The paper was founded by Philip Anschutz, son of Fred Anschutz who founded the Anschutz Corporation in 1958 as a private holding company. Fred was a venture capitalist and wildcatter, which is someone tries to find oil where no oil is normally thought of being. No wonder the Wasingtom Examiner denies climate change and the link between in and fossil fuels. Philip is basically a Koch brother, promoting the pro-life, anti-LGBTQ, anti-evolution, and anti-environmentalism movements. The WE has done some great reporting even in the Trump era, but they are a conservative outlet with a heavy bias towards Republicanism. Philip has also supported charter schools and funded think tanks like the Heritage Foundation.

Links

Philip: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Philip_Anschutz
Archive: https://archive.vn/F0pO5

WE: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Washington_Examiner
Archive: https://archive.vn/85xxM

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